

Media Information



Columbus Division of Police
MCB Bureau / Felony Assault Unit

Date: 4/13/2020

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Type of Offense/Incident: Felony Assault

Date: 4/13/2020

Time: 1:58am

Location of Offense/Incident: 1653 Minnesota Avenue

Zone: 4

Precinct: 2

Incident Report #: 200273538

Cruiser District: 22

Victim: Kendale Cortez Mardis

Sex: M

Race: B

Age: 18

Victim: Kentra C. Mardis

Sex: M

Race: B

Age: 17

Victim: Kavon Tion James Kendrick

Sex: M

Race: B

Age: 18

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested ☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

Suspect:

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Incident Summary: On April 13, 2020, at approximately 1:58 am, Columbus Police Officers were dispatched to 1653 Minnesota Avenue on the report that one person was shot in the leg. When officers arrived they located spent casings but no victim. At approximately 2:19 am, Kendale Mardis and Kentra Mardis arrived at Ohio State East Hospital suffering from gunshot wounds to the legs. They are both in stable condition and will survive the injuries.

At approximately 2:04 am, Kavon Kendrick was shot one time in the arm while in the area of 1653 Minnesota Avenue. He went for help on Republic Avenue. Medic 18 transported him to Grant Hospital in Stable condition. He will survive the injury.

If anyone has any additional information on this incident, please contact Felony Assault Unit Detective I. Pruitt at (614) 645-6394 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 645-TIPS (8477).

Copy To: ☐ Executive Staff

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Assignment: Assault

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Assignment: Homicide